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About Daphne Hawk

Daphne Hawk became Franklin County's 27th Recorder in January, 2011, when she was appointed to fulfill the last two years of a four year term vacated by, now Probate Judge, Robert G. Montgomery, who had held the office for ten years.

Her previous political experience included a successful race for Township Trustee in which she was victorious over two, 12-year incumbents by an unprecedented 10 percentage points.

This is what Daphne has to say about her office:

"The Franklin County Recorder's Office has been privileged to have a records retention model that has been replicated across the country and other countries as well. Our system sets the bar when it comes to efficient recordkeeping. Our online consumers can access all our public records and print copies at their convenience. Now, they can request and pay for a certified copy online too!

During my first year, I cut the Recorder's annual budget by a quarter of a million dollars, while improving services to our consumers both in person and online. We continue to reach out to the community promoting our living will forms and services to veterans."

By profession, Daphne has been a licensed Realtor for the past 16 years. She has not only enjoyed a successful career in sales, but also as a corporate sales trainer, continuing education faculty, and as both a Vice President and CEO for large local real estate brokerages. During her sales career, she chose to focus on serving clients with special needs, and today, she remains an avid supporter of Autism awareness, as well as all developmental disabilities.

Daphne is a lifelong resident of the Grove City area. She and her husband, Keith, have three grown children and two grandchildren. They attend Rock City Church in the OSU area.

About the Recorder's Duties

The Recorder is responsible for keeping land records including all transfers, divisions, deeds, mortgages & any other lien or encumbrance. If you have title insurance for land in this county, the search was done using our records!

Our office also records important personal documents (which are not public record) such as military discharges papers, healthcare powers of attorney, and living wills so your family or doctor can locate them when needed.

In addition, our office keeps record of all veterans' grave locations throughout the county.

Finally, our office provides document imaging services for other county agencies, converting paper and digital records to microfiche and iCloud storage.



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